

Denali Science School – Sample Itinerary for Autumn 2014

Sessions are three days long and start on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Arrival by bus or Anchorage train

Monday

3:40-4:00 – Arrive at Denali
4:00-4:30 – Walk to Murie Science and Learning Center (MSLC) and deposit gear
4:30-5:00 – Welcome and orientation
5:00-5:15 – Walk to Denali Visitor Center
5:15-6:00 – Visitor Center Scavenger Hunt
6:00-6:15 – Walk to MSLC Dining Hall
6:15-7:15 – Dinner at MSLC Dining Hall
7:15-8:30 – Activities
8:30-9:00 – Unload and set up gear
9:00-10:00 – Pre-bed activity (teacher choice)
10:00 – Lights out

Tuesday

7:15-8:00 – Breakfast at MSLC Dining Hall
8:00-8:15 – Sled Dog Kennels intro
8:15-8:30 – Riley Creek courtesy bus to Kennels
8:30-9:30 – Sled Dog Kennels activity
9:30-9:45 – Riley Creek courtesy bus to MSLC
9:45-10:00 – Snack
10:00-12:30 – Activities
12:30-1:00 – Lunch
1:00-2:00 – Activities
2:00-5:00 – Meadow View hike
5:00-6:00 – Dinner at MSLC Dining Hall
7:30-9:00 – Activities
9:00-10:00 – Pre-bed activity (teacher choice)
10:00 – Lights out

Wednesday

7:30-8:15 – Breakfast at MSLC Dining Hall
8:15-8:45 – Gear clean up
8:45-9:30 – Create a National Park
9:30-9:45 – Snack
9:45-10:00 – Final inspection
10:00-11:00 – Closing activity (Postcards)
11:00-11:30 – Lunch
11:30-12:00 – Walk to train/bus depot
12:00-12:30 – Depart

Arrival by bus or Fairbanks train

Monday

12:10-12:30 – Arrive at Denali
12:30-1:00 – Walk to Murie Science and Learning Center (MSLC) and deposit gear
1:00-1:30 – Welcome and orientation
1:30-1:45 – Walk to Denali Visitor Center
1:45-2:30 – Visitor Center Scavenger Hunt
2:30-2:45 – Walk to MSLC
2:45-3:00 – Snack
3:00-5:00 – Activities
5:00-6:00 – Dinner at MSLC Dining Hall
6:00-8:30 – Activities
8:30-9:00 – Unload and set up gear
9:00-10:00 – Pre-bed activity (teacher choice)
10:00 – Lights out

Tuesday

7:30-8:15 – Breakfast at MSLC Dining Hall
8:15-10:00 – Teacher activities
10:00-10:15 – Snack
10:15-12:30 – Activities
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10:30-10:45 – Final inspection
10:45-12:00 – Activities
12:00-12:30 – Lunch
12:30-1:15 – Activities
1:15-2:00 – Create a National Park
2:00-3:00 – Closing activity (Postcards)
3:00-3:30 – Walk to train/bus depot
3:30-4:00 – Depart